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Application of:) Group Art Unit: 182
EDWARD A. BOYSE et al.)
Application No.: 07/119,746) Examiner: Sam Rosen 3/13/90
Filed: November 12, 1987) F. U. S. P. T. O. 182
For: ISOLATION AND PRESERVATION) MAK 19 1990
OF FETAL AND NEONATAL)
HEMATOPOIETIC STEM AND)
PROGENITOR CELLS OF THE)
BLOOD)
Attorney Docket No. 6287-003)
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

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In response to the Office Action dated February 15, 1990 and in accordance with Rule 115 of the Rules of Practice, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Pursuant to a teleconference between Examiner Rosen and Attorneys for Applicants held on February 27, 1989, Applicants make the following amendments to the claims.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

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(i) 1 (twice amended). A composition comprising:
(a) a plurality of viable human neonatal or fetal hematopoietic stem [cell] cells derived from the blood; and
(b) cryopreservative.

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